

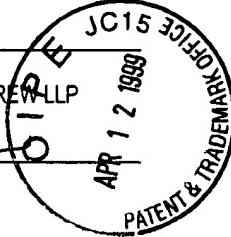
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In re application of:

Michael Sutton

Examiner: Unassigned

Application No.: 09/050,796

Art Unit: 2744

Filed: March 30, 1998

TRANSMITTAL LETTER - RESPONSE  
TO NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS

For: VIDEO AND FLASHLIGHT  
CAMERA

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Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted dated November 6, 1998, enclosed are the following to be made of record in the above-identified application:

- 1) Petition to Extend Time for 3 Months (original + 2)
- 2) Copy of Notice of Missing Parts

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper or during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 20-1430. This Transmittal Letter is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,



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In re application of:

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Serial No.: 09/050,796

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STATEMENT

For: **VIDEO AND FLASHLIGHT  
CAMERA**

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Sir:

Pursuant to Blinn & Soper's agent's conversation with Examiner Ping on November 3, 1999 indicating that the file was missing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Applicant hereby provides the Office with copies of all documents in his attorney's files sent to or received from the U.S.P.T.O. in connection with the above-captioned application:

Statement with certificate of hand delivery.

A copy of first page of the Petition to Revive Unaboidably Abandoned Application date stamped by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 2, 1999.

Petition to Revive Unavoidably Abandoned Application with certificate of hand-delivery on September 2, 1999.

Postcard for Petition to Revive Unavoidably Abandoned Application date stamped by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 3, 1999.

Petition to Revive Unavoidably Abandoned Application with certificate of mailing dated April 27, 1999.

Notice of Abandonment Under 37 CFR 1.53(f) or (g) - Filing Date Granted dated April 20, 1999.

Postcard for Preliminary Amendment date stamped by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on April 12, 1999.

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Preliminary Amendment with certificate of mailing dated April 6, 1999.

Postcard for Response to Notice of Missing Parts and Petition to Extend Time date stamped by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on April 12, 1999.

Response to Notice of Missing Parts and Petition to Extend Time with a certificate of mailing dated April 6, 1999.

Notice to File Missing Parts dated November 6, 1998.

Filing Receipt.

Postcard for Information Disclosure Statement date stamped by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 6, 1998.

Information Disclosure Statement with form PTO-1449 and copies of references with certificate of mailing dated July 1, 1998.

Postcard for Continuation Patent Application with Petition to Extend Time date stamped March 30, 1998.

Continuation Patent Application with Petition to Extend Time with certificate of Express Mail dated March 30, 1998.

I declare that these papers constitute our record insofar as it concerns the Patent and Trademark Office.

Under the circumstances that the Patent Office has misplaced the original file and our reconstruction of the file, we request expedited examination for this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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*Filing Date Granted*

An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the SURCHARGE set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of  \$65.00 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or  \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this NOTICE to avoid abandonment.

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a  
 small entity (statement filed)  non-small entity is \$ 501.00.

1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

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Applicant must submit \$ 395.00 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

2. Additional claim fees of \$ 41.00, including any multiple dependent claim fees, are required.

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An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

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5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

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6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.

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Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Application Processing Division's Customer Correction Branch within 10 days of receipt. Please provide a copy of the Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon.

Applicant(s)  
MICHAEL SUTTON, LEMOORE, CA.

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TITLE  
VIDEO AND FLASHLIGHT CAMERA

PRELIMINARY CLASS: 455

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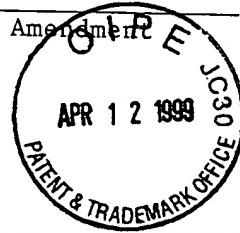
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